

Moore
Patman

Ratliff
Word

House Bill on First Reading

The following bill received from the House, was read the first time and referred to the Committee indicated:

H. B. No. 986, to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

Memorial Resolutions

S. R. No. 734—By Senator Christie: Memorial resolution for Miss Fanny Foster.

S. R. No. 742—By Senator Reagan: Memorial resolution for Sylvan M. Weil.

Welcome and Congratulatory Resolutions

S. R. No. 728—By Senator Watson: Extending welcome to Dean and Mrs. Angus McSwain and son.

S. R. No. 729—By Senator Watson: Extending welcome to Otis Gardner.

S. R. No. 730—By Senator Watson: Extending welcome to Mrs. Sam Amsler.

S. R. No. 732—By Senator Herring: Extending welcome to teacher and students of third grade class of St. Elmo School of Austin.

S. R. No. 735—By Senator Christie: Extending congratulations to the Moon Garden Restaurant.

S. R. No. 736—By Senator Grover: Extending congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Alan Steelman.

S. R. No. 738—By Senator Christie: Extending congratulations to Jack Devore, Jr.

S. R. No. 740—By Senator Watson: Extending welcome to George Vowell.

S. R. No. 741—By Senator Hall: Extending welcome and privileges of the floor for the day to Robert Slagle.

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Hardeman the Senate at 6:40 o'clock p.m. adjourned until 9:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

APPENDIX

Sent to Governor

May 26, 1967

S. C. R. No. 87

SIXTY-SEVENTH DAY

(Saturday, May 27, 1967)

The Senate met at 9:30 o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present:

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hall	Wade
Hardeman	Watson
Harrington	Wilson
Herring	Word

Absent—Excused

Hazlewood

A quorum was announced present.

Reverend W. H. Townsend, Chaplain, offered the invocation.

On motion of Senator Aikin and by unanimous consent, the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was dispensed with and the Journal was approved.

Leave of Absence

Senator Hazlewood was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator Hightower.

Morning Call Dispensed With

On motion of Senator Hightower, and by unanimous consent, The Morning Call was dispensed with.

Senate Concurrent Resolution 92

Senator Ratliff offered the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 92, Memorializing Congress to impose meaningful controls on certain imports.

Whereas, The Legislature of the State of Texas understands and accepts the need for a substantial volume of international trade in textile products.

Whereas, Current trade policies, however, have generated imports into this country in a volume at a rate of growth that seriously threatens the economic stability of the cotton farmer, of the primary U. S. textile industry, the apparel industry, the wool producers, the chemical and machinery industries, and many other industries which supply and serve the U. S. textile industry.

Whereas, Texas' future well-being depends heavily on the economic stability and confidence of these industries.

Whereas, Texas is one of this nation's leading producers of cotton. In 1966 more than 30 per cent of the nation's cotton crop was produced in Texas. Texas cotton farmers employ 160,000 persons and provide an annual payroll of more than \$120-million.

Whereas, The apparel and primary textile industries of Texas employ 30,000 persons and have a combined annual payroll of more than \$100-million. Including employment in gins, cotton seed oil mills, farm and gin machinery manufacturing and transportation, more than 230,000 Texans are dependent on cotton and cotton textiles for their livelihood.

Whereas, Aside from cotton, Texas is the country's leading producer of wool and mohair, and the Texas petrochemical industry is a leading supplier of materials used in the production of synthetic fibers.

Whereas, Texas' heavy dependence on textile and related industries is such that the legislature cannot ignore the tremendous flood of cotton, wool and man-made fiber textile goods that are devouring this country's domestic market.

Whereas, Ten per cent of the United States' cotton textile market in 1966 was absorbed by imports of more than 1.8 billion square yards of cotton textile goods. And imports in 1967 are running 11 per cent ahead of last year's record total.

Whereas, In 1966, 10 per cent of this country's man-made fiber textile market was absorbed by imports of

almost 800-million square yards of man-made fiber textiles. Man-made fiber textile imports have increased more than 600 per cent since 1961, and this year are running 25 per cent ahead of last year's total.

Whereas, twenty-five per cent of the United States' wool market has been absorbed by wool textile imports amounting to more than 179-million square yards.

Whereas, It has been estimated that cotton, wool, and man-made fiber textile imports have replaced jobs in the United States for 200,000 to 250,000 persons directly in textile, plus another 100,000 to 150,000 in those industries which supply materials and services to textiles.

Whereas, The rapid and sharp increase in textile imports demonstrates clearly that present policies governing imports of textile products do not provide for the development of orderly trade; rather, they create extreme disruption in U. S. textile markets and deprive hundreds of thousands of employment. The textile tariff reductions negotiated during the recent Kennedy Round of the Geneva Agreement on Tariffs and Trade can only invite further increases in imports and resulting unemployment: Therefore, be it

Resolved, That we strongly urge the executive and legislative branches of the United States government to recognize the immediate urgency of the textile imports situation and move promptly to impose meaningful quantitative controls on imports of cotton, man-made fiber and wool textile imports, and that copies of this resolution be forwarded to the President of the United States, the Secretary of State and the Texas delegation to the United States Congress.

The resolution was read.

On motion of Senator Ratliff, and by unanimous consent, the resolution was considered immediately and was adopted.

Senate Resolution 744

Senator Wilson offered the following resolution:

Whereas, The pages of Texas History are rife with heroes of world renown, but the resolution and stout heart of one man—James Foster McSwill—have somehow escaped the general recognition and acclaim that

his contributions to our heritage merit; and

Whereas, An intrepid adventurer—not since the redoubtable Paul Bunyan has the new world seen his equal—McSwill was a Texan with lineage to credit a king; and

Whereas, He began his own life—like so many of the valiant who fought and bled and died for Texas soil—in Kentucky, in Boonesborough, as a matter of fact; and though records definitely give the year as 1799, the exact date is hazy, but there is some indication that it was probably December 31, since a relative remarked his birthdate was the only time in his life he was ever early, and he missed the turn of the century on that occasion by a matter of seconds; and

Whereas, On his father's side, his ancestry included fierce clansmen of Scotland and the first McSwill to come to America was doubtless one Dan to Beersheba McSwill, who booked passage on the Mayflower in 1619, but somehow missed the boat and arrived in New England in about the year 1621; it seems almost clairvoyant that the ancient Gaelic motto of the clan, in essence, is translated, "Better Late Than Never"; and

Whereas, His mother was a member of the Clay County Fosters—of Stephen fame—and thus, it is not surprising that young McSwill began early in life to show his affinity for greatness; and

Whereas, At the age of 12, he had completed all the courses offered at Boonesborough Academy, and all too soon—so his father, Elisha (or Elija) thought—the only son and heir to the McSwill name—was off to the wars; in those times, they were more prevalent—and even nearer home—than those of today; and

Whereas, Joining the Tennessee Volunteer Rifles in 1814 for service in the War of 1812, he set out with his regiment for the Battle of New Orleans, only to be struck down along the way—at French Camp, Mississippi—with a severe case of measles; he finally made it in February 1815, but to his dismay, found the battle had been over for several weeks; nevertheless, General Jackson commended him for his heroic—if late—effort; and

Whereas, He was next heard from in association with the famous Philip Nolan and his ill-starred expeditions

to Texas; but it seems he didn't actually come to Texas with Nolan, he just sold him some horses "and other victuals and accouterments" for his second expedition; and

Whereas, He was definitely in Texas, however, at the time of Haden Edwards and the Fredonia Rebellion, but records fail to show that he took an active part in the stirring events; and

Whereas, During the perilous times preceding the Texas Revolution, McSwill—whose first wife, the lovely Amanda Samanda Vamidois from the Feliciana Country of the Louisiana-Mississippi border, had died—was married in 1832 to Mary Rose Jones, who bore him 12 children—unfortunately, all girls; and

Whereas, The year he married, he was commissioned by the people of the Municipality (doubtless Nacogdoches, as his plantation was located in the northern part of the county) to deliver supplies to the citizen soldiers at Anahuac; in company with a man named Adams (or Addams) he set out by ox team for the fighting, but arrived after it was over; undaunted and unflinching in his patriotism, he decided to push on to Velasco, where another battle was in progress and where he thought the supplies would be needed; he would have made it, too, but a petty Mexican civil official detained him at the river crossing "because passports had not been properly stamped by the Alcalde"; and

Whereas, He was a delegate to the Conventions of '32 and '33 but could not attend because of personal problems and obligations to his family; in '35 he was to "go into Bexar with old Ben Milam" but went back to Gonzales for more ammunition and returned only to find the battle ended and Ben Milam dead; he did help with the burial, however; and

Whereas, The urgency of the '36 Convention was so great that despite a wife and children—by then there were five, including a set of twins—he picked up supplies, mounted Old Blue Streak and arrived at Washington-on-the-Brazos when the Convention had been in session less than an hour; a dedicated patriot, he assumed his duties of keeping the entire convention supplied with firewood from the adjacent forest and fish from the local river, the Brazos, and returned to the hall with the last load of

wood, only to find the Declaration of Independence had been signed and it was too late to add his name; and

Whereas, An episode in his life with little effect on history but which shows the warmth, the sympathy, and the understanding of this great man for dumb beast as well as man, concerns the "famous wind of '36" and his equally famous saddle horse, Old Blue Streak; he was making camp on what is now Mound Street in Nacogdoches when the wind came up; to protect the horse, he tied him to a tree, but a great bolt of lightning split the tree asunder, coursed through the halter rope and melted the bits in Old Blue's mouth and the shoes from his feet; even worse, it stripped the hair from his tail permanently; McSwill's deep compassion for the faithful animal led him to attach a blue feather duster to his tail, so he could switch the flies as of old, and later chronicles of the man and horse mention "Old Feather Duster" or "The Blue Duster"; and

Whereas, Some days later, McSwill performed further patriotic service by ferrying victims of the Runaway Scrape across the Sabine for 50 cents per person, women and children free; then, on or about April 15th he set out with his friend Adams for San Jacinto to aid General Houston; at what is now Moscow in Polk County (and was then called Greenville) the pair stopped to help a friend named Griggs get in some cattle so he, too, could go to the battle; this delay upset their calculations but after hard riding they arrived at a point just west of the present monument; it was the morning of April 22, 1836, and McSwill was in despair; General Houston helped some, however, with his remark: "Well, boys, now that McSwill is here, I would be glad to fight the battle over again if you could round up enough Mexicans"; and

Whereas, Further research is underway to determine McSwill's roles in the Mexican War and in the Confederacy during the Civil War, but detailed analysis of records is still in the hands of historians; and

Whereas, Recognition of the great contributions of the late James Foster McSwill in the destiny of Texas is late in coming, although a monument to Old Blue Streak stands on the grounds of the Tucker home in

Nacogdoches, but it is appropriate at this time, when only hours remain prior to adjournment, that he receive the honor and tribute that he deserves; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, that the Senate of the State of Texas, by this Resolution, recognize the stout heart and patriotic endeavor, the sympathetic understanding and character of James Foster McSwill, whose escutcheon bears the proud but poignant words: "Better Late Than Never"; and, be it further

Resolved, That, in tribute to him, to his will to carry on despite hardship and disappointment, a copy of this Resolution be prepared for display at Old Nacogdoches University when its restoration is completed, and a further copy be forwarded to The London College of Heraldry and Genealogical Research to serve as an addendum to the genealogy compiled by that august institution on the late James Foster McSwill.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

House Concurrent Resolution 24 Re-referred

On motion of Senator Herring, and by unanimous consent, H. C. R. No. 24 was withdrawn from the Committee on State Affairs and re-referred to the Committee on State Departments and Institutions.

House Bill 1182 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Creighton and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration at this time on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 1182, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to the establishment, development, operation and maintenance of a state park on certain land in Stephens County to be donated to the state by the West Central Texas Municipal Water District; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and passed to third reading.

House Bill 1182 on Third Reading

Senator Creighton moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 32 requiring bills to be read on three

several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 1182 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—27

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Brooks	Moore
Christie	Parkhouse
Cole	Patman
Connally	Ratliff
Creighton	Reagan
Grover	Strong
Hall	Watson
Hardeman	Wilson
Harrington	Word
Herring	

Nays—1

Blanchard

Absent

Schwartz Wade

Absent—Excused

Hazlewood

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed.

House Bill 166 on Second Reading

Senator Bates asked unanimous consent to suspend the regular order of business and take up H. B. No. 166 for consideration at this time.

There was objection.

Senator Bates then moved to suspend the regular order of business and take up H. B. No. 166 for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—21

Bates	Hall
Bernal	Hardeman
Berry	Harrington
Brooks	Herring
Christie	Hightower
Cole	Jordan
Grover	Kennard

Mauzy	Reagan
Moore	Schwartz
Patman	Wilson
Ratliff	

Nays—8

Aikin	Parkhouse
Blanchard	Strong
Connally	Watson
Creighton	Word

Absent

Wade

Absent—Excused

Hazlewood

The President laid before the Senate on its passage to third reading H. B. No. 166 (the bill having been read second time on Wednesday, May 24, 1967).

Question—Shall H. B. No. 166 be passed to third reading?

Pending discussion by Senator Kennard of the bill, Senator Patman moved the Previous Question on the passage of H. B. No. 166 to third reading and the motion was duly seconded.

Question—Shall the Previous Question now be put?

The Previous Question was ordered by the following vote:

Yeas—14

Aikin	Herring
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Brooks	Moore
Cole	Patman
Hardeman	Ratliff
Harrington	Watson

Nays—13

Blanchard	Parkhouse
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hall	Watson
Hightower	Word
Mauzy	

Absent

Berry Wade
Christie

Absent—Excused

Hazlewood

The bill was passed to third reading.

Record of Votes

Senators Strong, Word, Connally, Blanchard, Aikin and Watson asked to be recorded as voting "Nay" on the passage of the bill to third reading.

Motion to Place House Bill 166 on Third Reading

Senator Bates moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 32 requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 166 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion was lost by the following vote (not receiving four-fifths vote of the Members present):

Yeas—22

Bates	Hightower
Bernal	Jordan
Berry	Kennard
Brooks	Mauzy
Christie	Moore
Cole	Patman
Grover	Ratliff
Hall	Reagan
Hardeman	Schwartz
Harrington	Wade
Herring	Wilson

Nays—8

Aikin	Parkhouse
Blanchard	Strong
Connally	Watson
Creighton	Word

Absent—Excused

Hazlewood

Motion to Re-refer House Bill 1265

Senator Moore asked unanimous consent that H. B. No. 1265 be withdrawn from the Committee on Finance and be re-referred to the Committee on State Departments and Institutions.

There was objection.

Report of Standing Committee

Senator Christie by unanimous consent submitted the following report:

Austin, Texas,
May 27, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Departments and Institutions, to which was referred H. C. R. No. 24, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass as amended and be printed.

CHRISTIE, Chairman.
HERRING
WILSON

House Concurrent Resolution 24 Ordered Not Printed

On motion of Senator Herring and by unanimous consent H. C. R. No. 24 was ordered not printed.

House Bill on First Reading

The following bill received from the House, was read the first time and referred to the Committee indicated:

H. B. No. 1365, to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

Report of Standing Committee

Senator Hall by unanimous consent submitted the following report:

Austin, Texas,
May 27, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, to which was referred H. B. No. 1365, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HALL, Chairman.
CHRISTIE
WORD

Motion to Place Senate Bill 266 on Second Reading

Senate Kennard asked unanimous consent to suspend the regular order of business and take up S. B. No. 266 for consideration at this time.

There was objection.

Senator Kennard then moved to suspend the regular order of business and take up S. B. No. 266 for consideration at this time.

The motion was lost by the follow-

ing vote (not receiving two-thirds vote of the Members present):

Yeas—19

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Ratliff
Cole	Schwartz
Hall	Strong
Harrington	Word
Herring	

Nays—11

Blanchard	Patman
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Wade
Grover	Watson
Hardeman	Wilson
Moore	

Absent—Excused

Hazlewood

Report of Standing Committee

Senator Aikin by unanimous consent submitted the following report:

Austin, Texas,
May 27, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Rules, to which was referred H. C. R. No. 127, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass as amended, and be printed.

AIKIN, Chairman.

**House Concurrent Resolution 127
Ordered Not Printed**

On motion of Senator Hardeman and by unanimous consent H. C. R. No. 127 was ordered not printed.

**Senate Bill 575 With
House Amendment**

Senator Schwartz called S. B. No. 575 from the President's Table for consideration of the House amendment to the bill.

The President laid the bill and the following House amendment before the Senate:

Amendment 1

The captioned bill creating Dolphin

Beach Municipal Utility District is amended by deleting "3" in line 3, paragraph 1, Section 6 and substituting "4" in lieu thereof.

The House amendment was read.

Senator Schwartz moved that the Senate concur in the House amendment.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hall	Wade
Hardeman	Watson
Harrington	Wilson
Herring	Word

Absent—Excused

Hazlewood

**Senate Bill 576 With
House Amendment**

Senator Schwartz called S. B. No. 576 from the President's Table for consideration of the House amendment to the bill.

The President laid the bill and the following House amendment before the Senate:

Amendment 1

The captioned bill, creating League Land Municipal Utility District, is amended in the following respects:

(a) By deleting the following language from lines 59 and 60 of page 2 and line 1 of page 3 of paragraph 1 of Section 4, of the printed bill: "The reclamation and drainage of its overflowed lands, and other lands needing drainage in the district, and . . ."

(b) By deleting the following language from lines 13, 14, and 15 of page 4 of printed bill of paragraph 1, section 6: "for any or all of the purposes set out or incorporated by reference in section 3 hereof, includ-

ing the acquisition of land therefor . . .”
and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

“the purpose of purchasing, constructing, improving, extending or enlarging a waterworks and sanitary sewer system for the District, including the acquisition of all necessary land and rights of way therefor,”

(c) By adding the following paragraph after paragraph 1, Section 6:

“All bonds issued by the District shall expressly reserve the right of the District to redeem the bonds at any time subsequent to the fifteenth (15) anniversary of the date of their issuance without premium. All bonds, other than refunding bonds shall be sold, only after the taking of public bids therefor, and no bonds, other than refunding bonds shall be sold for less than par plus accrued interest.”

(d) By adding the following section to be numbered 15(a):

“15(a) The construction of the district's water and sanitary sewer facilities shall be in accordance with the approved plans and specifications and with applicable standards and specifications of the City of League City, and during the progress of the construction and installation of such facilities the City shall make periodic on-the-ground inspections.

No construction shall be started or undertaken by the district unless it has in its possession a certificate of the district's engineer, who shall be a registered professional engineer under the laws of the State of Texas, that, in his opinion, such construction conforms to said City's established standards and specifications.”

The House amendment was read.

Senator Schwartz moved that the Senate concur in the House amendment.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Connally
Bates	Creighton
Bernal	Grover
Berry	Hall
Blanchard	Hardeman
Brooks	Harrington
Christie	Herring
Cole	Hightower

Jordan	Reagan
Kennard	Schwartz
Mauzy	Strong
Moore	Wade
Parkhouse	Watson
Patman	Wilson
Ratliff	Word

Absent—Excused

Hazlewood

Senate Bill 577 With House Amendment

Senator Schwartz called S. B. No. 577 from the President's Table for consideration of the House amendment to the bill.

The President laid the bill and the following House amendment before the Senate:

Amendment 1

The captioned bill creating West End Municipal Utility District is amended by deleting “3” in line 4, paragraph 1, Section 6 and substituting “4” in lieu thereof.

The House amendment was read.

Senator Schwartz moved that the Senate concur in the House amendment.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hall	Wade
Hardeman	Watson
Harrington	Wilson
Herring	Word

Absent—Excused

Hazlewood

Senate Bill 578 With House Amendment

Senator Schwartz called S. B. No. 578 from the President's Table

for consideration of the House amendment to the bill.

The President laid the bill and the following House amendment before the Senate:

Amendment 1

Amend S. B. No. 578 by striking all below the enacting clause and substituting the following:

Section 1. The Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, are amended by adding Article 8119a to read as follows:

"Article 8119. (a) In counties having a population of more than 75,000 and less than 90,000 inhabitants according to the last preceding Federal Census and having one or more drainage districts therein and having an assessed valuation for county tax purposes of \$295,000,000 or more and whether such drainage district has been converted into a conservation and reclamation district or not, under the provisions of Section 59, Article 16 of the Texas Constitution, each candidate for election to the office of drainage commissioner shall designate the place for which he desires to become a candidate as place number 1, 2, or 3 on the official ballot.

"(b) Incumbent commissioners elected under this article may only file for reelection to the place which they occupy.

"(c) A candidate for the office of drainage commissioner in a drainage district referred to in Subdivision (a) of this article may file for place 1, 2, or 3 regardless of where he resides in the district.

"(d) Elections of drainage commissioners in drainage districts referred to in Subdivision (a) of this article shall be held in accordance with the provisions of the Texas Election Code of 1951, as amended.

"(e) Article 8119 applies to the election of drainage commissioners under this article except to the extent that it conflicts with this article."

Sec. 2. If any word, phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph, section, or other part of this Act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance, shall ever be held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or unconstitutional, the remainder of this Act and the application of such word, phrase, clause, sentence, para-

graph, section or other part of this Act to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby.

Sec. 3. The fact that there is not now in effect any suitable provision in which candidates seeking election as commissioners for such drainage district and that the method of election is deemed inequitable and not in harmony with the spirit of the Texas Election Code create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each house be suspended, and this Rule is hereby suspended, and that this Act take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

The House amendment was read.

Senator Schwartz moved that the Senate concur in the House amendment.

The motion prevailed.

Senate Bill 609 With House Amendment

Senator Schwartz called S. B. No. 609 from the President's Table for consideration of the House amendment to the bill.

The President laid the bill and the following House amendment before the Senate:

Amendment 1

The caption of Senate Bill 609 is hereby amended by inserting after 1965, the following:

"To give Folletts Island Water Supply District the power of eminent domain outside of the district but within Galveston and Brazoria Counties; to restrict the powers of the district to the sale and distribution of water; to allow the district to annex land as provided by the general laws; to allow annexed land to assume the voted but unissued bonds of the district;"

The House amendment was read.

Senator Schwartz moved that the Senate concur in the House amendment.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hall	Wade
Hardeman	Watson
Harrington	Wilson
Herring	Word

Absent—Excused

Hazlewood

**Address by Lieutenant Governor
Smith**

Lieutenant Governor Smith addressed the Senate as follows:

Honorable members of the Senate, please give me your attention for an announcement.

The Conference Committee Report on Senate Bill 15—The general appropriation bill for fiscal 1968—is before you. In a moment I am going to recognize Senator Aikin for a motion to adopt it.

He will explain the report as fully as you wish, and he and the other Senate Members of the Conference Committee will answer any questions you may have.

Before we proceed, the Chair wishes to make a brief statement about this report.

It represents the tireless efforts of ten well-qualified and conscientious men—five veteran members of each body—to adjust the differences between the two houses and write the best possible bill to finance our state government in the coming year.

In my opinion, they have succeeded admirably.

This report represents a successful test of the Conference Committee system.

There were those who said that sending the appropriations bill to conference would be disastrous. They predicted dissension, discord, and finally chaos, and failure.

They were wrong.

The conferees worked together with as much harmony and good will

as I have ever seen on a conference committee.

By and large, they carried forward the best features of both bills and thus produced a report superior to either.

This report distributes approximately \$446.8 million in general revenue in a way that will more than meet the minimum requirements of state operations next year.

Certainly this measure cannot be considered an instrument of frugality. It increases general revenue spending by approximately 38 per cent over the current year.

It provides salary increases for state employees ranging from 14.1 to 30 per cent.

It leaves \$48 million available to increase the salaries of public school teachers an average of \$554 a year.

And it does all of this without any new taxes.

That, in brief, is the effect of the Conference Committee Report on Senate Bill 15.

It is not perfect. I do not endorse it word-for-word and line-for-line. I'm sure members of the Conference Committee feel the same way.

No appropriations bill ever pleased everyone.

None ever entirely pleased everyone.

The report before you represents a constructive and earnest effort to approach a state of general acceptability.

Under the circumstances in which we were placed by a midstream switch from biennial to one-year financing, it is the best we can do. The report before you is realistic . . . reasonable . . . fair . . . and adequate.

I recommend to your favorable attention, with my congratulations and my gratitude to members of the Conference Committee for a difficult job well done.

**Conference Committee Report on
Senate Bill 15**

Senator Aikin submitted the following Conference Committee Report on S. B. No. 15:

Austin, Texas,
May 26, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, Lieutenant Governor, President of the Senate.

Hon. Ben Barnes, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: We, your Conference Committee, appointed to adjust the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on S. B. No. 15, have met and had the same under consideration, and beg to report back with the recommendation that it do pass in the form attached.

AIKIN
HARDEMAN
HERRING
REAGAN
WORD

On the part of the Senate.

HEATLEY
MUTSCHER
PIPKIN
SHANNON
SLACK

On the part of the House.

The Conference Committee Report was read and was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—27

Aikin	Kennard
Bernal	Mauzy
Berry	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Hall	Strong
Harrington	Wade
Hazlewood	Watson
Herring	Wilson
Hightower	Word
Jordan	

Nays—4

Bates	Grover
Blanchard	Hardeman

Reason for Votes

I voted against the adoption of the Conference Committee Report on S. B. No. 15 for the reasons heretofore stated on May 8, 1967.

HARDEMAN
BATES

**Text of Conference Committee
Report on Senate Bill 15
Ordered Not Printed**

On motion of Senator Aikin and by unanimous consent the full text of the Conference Committee Report on S. B. No. 15 was ordered not printed in today's Journal since it will be

printed as a supplement to the Senate Journal.

House Bill 1265 Re-referred

On motion of Senator Hightower and by unanimous consent H. B. No. 1265 was withdrawn from the Committee on Finance and re-referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

Report of Standing Committee

Senator Hall by unanimous consent submitted the following report:

Austin, Texas,
May 27, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, to which was referred H. B. No. 1265, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass as amended, and be printed.

HALL, Chairman.
WORD
CHRISTIE

House Bill 1265 Ordered Not Printed

Senator Hightower asked unanimous consent not to print H. B. No. 1265.

There was objection.

Senator Hightower moved not to print H. B. No. 1265.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Parkhouse
Brooks	Patman
Christie	Ratliff
Cole	Reagan
Connally	Schwartz
Creighton	Strong
Grover	Wade
Hall	Watson
Harrington	Wilson
Hazlewood	Word
Herring	

Nays—2

Hardeman	Moore
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House Bill 1365 Ordered Not Printed

On motion of Senator Connally and by unanimous consent H. B. No. 1365 was ordered not printed.

House Bill on First Reading

The following bill received from the House was read the first time and referred to the committee indicated:

H. B. No. 363, to the Committee on Claims.

Report of Standing Committee

Senator Strong by unanimous consent submitted the following report:

Austin, Texas,
May 27, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Claims, to which was referred H. B. No. 363, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do not pass, but that the Committee Substitute adopted in lieu thereof do pass and be printed.

STRONG, Chairman.

C. S. H. B. No. 363 was read the first time.

Committee Substitute House Bill 363 Ordered Not Printed

On motion of Senator Strong and by unanimous consent C. S. H. B. No. 363 was ordered not printed.

Committee Substitute House Bill 363 on Second Reading

Senator Strong moved that Senate Rules 13, 32 and 38 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that C. S. H. B. No. 363 be placed on its second reading and passage to third reading and its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Brooks
Bates	Christie
Bernal	Cole
Berry	Connally
Blanchard	Creighton

Grover
Hall
Hardeman
Harrington
Hazlewood
Herring
Hightower
Jordan
Kennard
Mauzy
Moore

Parkhouse
Patman
Ratliff
Reagan
Schwartz
Strong
Wade
Watson
Wilson
Word

The President then laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading the following bill:

C. S. H. B. No. 363, A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriations for and directing payment of certain miscellaneous claims and judgments out of the General Revenue Fund and other funds designated herein; requiring approval of the claims in the manner specified in the Act before payment is made; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read the second time and was passed to third reading.

Committee Substitute House Bill 363 on Third Reading

The Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days having been suspended, the President laid C. S. H. B. No. 363 before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read the third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hall	Wade
Hardeman	Watson
Harrington	Wilson
Hazlewood	Word
Herring	

House Bill on First Reading

The following bill received from

the House was read the first time and referred to the Committee indicated:

H. B. No. 168, to the Committee on Water and Conservation.

Report of Standing Committee

Senator Parkhouse by unanimous consent submitted the following report:

Austin, Texas,
May 27, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Water and Conservation, to which was referred H. B. No. 168, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

PARKHOUSE, Chairman.

House Bill 168 Ordered Not Printed

On motion of Senator Parkhouse and by unanimous consent H. B. No. 168 was ordered not printed.

House Bill 966 Re-referred

On motion of Senator Patman, and by unanimous consent, H. B. No. 966 was withdrawn from the Committee on Jurisprudence and re-referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

House Concurrent Resolution 129 Re-referred

On motion of Senator Harrington and by unanimous consent H. C. R. No. 129 was withdrawn from the Committee on State Affairs and re-referred to the Committee on State Departments and Institutions.

Report of Standing Committee

Senator Hall by unanimous consent submitted the following report:

Austin, Texas,
May 27, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, to which was referred H. B. No. 966, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the

Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HALL, Chairman.
WORD
CHRISTIE

Message From the House

Hall of the House of Representatives
Austin, Texas,
May 27, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:

The House has adopted the Conference Committee Report on Senate Bill No. 15 by a vote of 142 ayes, 4 noes.

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY HALLMAN,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

House Joint Resolution 49 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Herring and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration at this time on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. J. R. No. 49, Proposing an amendment to Section 21 of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas so as to not require approval by the governor, secretary of state and the comptroller of certain materials and services purchase contracts.

The resolution was read second time and passed to third reading.

House Joint Resolution 49 on Third Reading

Senator Herring moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 32 requiring resolutions to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. J. R. No. 49 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin
Bates
Bernal

Berry
Blanchard
Brooks

Christie	Mauzy
Cole	Moore
Connally	Parkhouse
Creighton	Patman
Grover	Ratliff
Hall	Reagan
Hardeman	Schwartz
Harrington	Strong
Hazlewood	Wade
Herring	Watson
Hightower	Wilson
Jordan	Word
Kennard	

The President then laid the resolution before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The resolution was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hall	Wade
Hardeman	Watson
Harrington	Wilson
Hazlewood	Word
Herring	

**House Joint Resolution 20
on Second Reading**

On motion of Senator Herring and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration at this time on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. J. R. No. 20, House Joint Resolution, Proposing an Amendment to Section 11a, Article VII of the Constitution of Texas providing for the investment of the Permanent University Fund by the Board of Regents of The University of Texas System in certain types of securities within the prudent man rule.

The resolution was read second time and passed to third reading.

Record of Vote

Senator Hardeman asked to be

recorded as voting "Nay" on the passage of the resolution to third reading.

(Senator Aikin in the Chair.)

**House Joint Resolution 20
on Third Reading**

Senator Herring moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 32 requiring resolutions to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. J. R. No. 20 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Wade
Hall	Watson
Harrington	Wilson
Hazlewood	Word
Herring	

Nays—2

Hardeman	Strong
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The Presiding Officer then laid the resolution before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The resolution was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Wade
Hall	Watson
Harrington	Wilson
Hazlewood	Word
Herring	

Nays—2

Hardeman Strong

(President in the Chair.)

House Bill 911 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Word and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration at this time on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 911, A bill to be entitled "An Act apportioning the State of Texas into Representative Districts; naming the counties composing each district; providing the number of representatives to be elected in each district; etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Question—Shall H. B. No. 911 be passed to third reading?

Senate Resolution 749

Senator Reagan offered the following resolution:

Whereas, It being the desire of the Senate of the 60th Legislature to recognize a fellow Senator for holding the unique position of being the first Negro to serve in the Texas Senate since 1895; and the first Negro woman ever to serve in the Texas Legislature; and the second woman in the United States to hold such an office; and

Whereas, Senator Barbara Jordan, a native Houstonian, attended Houston Public Schools; received her B.A. degree in Political Science and History from Texas Southern University in 1956, magna cum laude; earned her LL.B. from the Boston University School of Law in 1959, where she was honored by being chosen to serve as Dean of the Kappa Beta Pi Legal Sorority; and

Whereas, Senator Jordan taught Political Science at Tuskegee Institute, Tuskegee, Alabama; she is a practicing attorney and has served as assistant to a Harris County Judge; she was elected to the Texas Senate in 1966; and

Whereas, She is a member of a number of professional organizations: the Massachusetts Bar, the State Bar of Texas, the American Bar As-

sociation, was past president of the Houston Trial Lawyers Association; and

Whereas, Senator Jordan has served as Director of the following: the Houston Council on Human Relations; Steering Committee of the Harris County Democrats; the N.A.A.C.P.; the Harris County Council of Organizations; the Houston United Nations Association of the United States of America; the Neighborhood Centers Association; the Day Care Association; the Julius C. Hester House; the Southern Regional Council; and

Whereas, Senator Jordan established another historic first during this session of the Legislature when she became the first Negro woman to preside over the Senate when Lieutenant Governor Preston Smith appointed her to serve in his absence; and she has earned the esteem and respect of her fellow Senators by the dignified manner in which she has conducted herself while serving in the Legislature, and because of her sincerity, her genuine concern for others, and her forceful speaking ability, she has been a credit to her State as well as to her race; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate does hereby extend to Senator Barbara Jordan sincere appreciation for her contribution and dedicated service to her State, and takes this means of expressing its warmest regards and affection to her; and be it further

Resolved, That this Resolution be adopted and that copies be given to Senator Barbara Jordan by the Secretary of the Senate under the Seal of the Senate, as a token of the admiration and respect of the Members of the Senate.

REAGAN
HERRING
BLANCHARD

Signed—Lieutenant Governor Preston Smith; Aikin, Bates, Bernal, Berry, Brooks, Christie, Cole, Connally, Creighton, Grover, Hall, Hardeman, Harrington, Hazlewood, Hightower, Kennard, Mauzy, Moore, Parkhouse, Patman, Ratliff, Schwartz, Strong, Wade, Watson, Wilson, Word.

The resolution was read.

On motion of Senator Hardeman and by unanimous consent the names of the Lieutenant Governor and all

Senators were added to the resolution as signers thereof.

The resolution was then adopted.

Senator Jordan was given a standing ovation by the Members of the Senate.

Senator Jordan addressed the Senate, thanking the Members for the honor extended to her.

House Bill 731 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Watson and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration at this time on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 731, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to the licensing of managing general agents of certain insurance companies or carriers by the State Board of Insurance; providing penalties; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and passed to third reading.

House Bill 731 on Third Reading

Senator Watson moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 32 requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 731 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hall	Wade
Hardeman	Watson
Harrington	Wilson
Hazlewood	Word
Herring	

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed.

House Bill 428 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Herring and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration at this time on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 428, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 2135, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended, relating to exemption from jury service by amending Subdivision 5 to exempt veterinarians from jury service; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Herring offered the following Committee Amendment to the bill:

Amend H. B. 428 by striking all below the enacting clause and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. Article 2135 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as last amended by Chapter 232, Acts of the 59th Legislature, Regular Session, 1965, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Art. 2135 [5118] 3142] [3013] Jury service.

All competent jurors are liable to jury service, except the following persons:

1. All persons over sixty-five years of age.
2. All civil officers of this State or the United States.
3. All overseers of roads.
4. All ministers of the gospel engaged in the active discharge of their ministerial duties.
5. All physicians, dentists, optometrists, veterinarians, chiropractors and attorneys and spouses of attorneys engaged in active practice.
6. All railroad station agents, conductors, engineers and firemen of railroad companies when engaged in the regular and actual discharge of their respective positions.
7. Any person who has acted as a jury commissioner within the preceding twelve months.
8. All members of the National Guard of this State under the provisions of the title "Militia" during

periods of time when they are actually on active duty.

9. In cities and towns having a population of one thousand or more inhabitants, according to the last preceding United States Census, the active members of organized fire companies, not to exceed twenty to each one thousand of such inhabitants.

10. All females who have legal custody of a child or children under the age of sixteen years.

11. All registered, practical and vocational nurses actively engaged in the practice of their profession.

12. Any practitioner who treats the sick by prayer or spiritual means in accordance with the tenets, teachings or practice of any well-established church or denomination, or a nurse who cares for the sick who are under treatment by such spiritual means, or a reader whose duty is to conduct regular religious services of such church or denomination.

13. All licensed morticians who are actively engaged in the practice of their profession.

14. All registered pharmacists who are actively engaged in the practice of their profession.

15. Agents and patrolmen engaged in forestry protection work employed by the the State Department of Forestry when engaged in the actual discharge of their duties.

16. The spouse of any person who is summoned to serve on the same jury panel; provided, however, that only one of the spouses, either the husband or the wife, may claim exemption on this ground, and if both the husband and the wife seek to claim the exemption, the court shall decide which shall be entitled to it.

17. All school teachers, which shall include public, parochial and private school teachers. As amended Acts 1965, 59th Leg., p. 455, ch. 232, § 1.

"Sec. 2. The importance of this legislation and the crowded condition of the calendars in both houses create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each house be suspended, and this Rule is hereby suspended, and that this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted."

The Committee Amendment was read and was adopted.

On motion of Senator Herring and by unanimous consent the caption was amended to conform to the body of the bill as amended.

The bill as amended was passed to third reading.

Record of Vote

Senator Cole asked to be recorded as voting "Nay" on the passage of the bill to third reading.

House Bill 428 on Third Reading

Senator Herring moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 32 requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 428 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Connally	Ratliff
Creighton	Reagan
Grover	Schwartz
Hall	Strong
Hardeman	Wade
Harrington	Watson
Hazlewood	Wilson
Herring	Word

Nays—1

Cole

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed.

Record of Vote

Senator Cole asked to be recorded as voting "Nay" on the passage of the bill.

Report of Standing Committee

Senator Hall by unanimous consent submitted the following report:

Austin, Texas,

May 27, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, to which was referred H. B. No. 986, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HALL, Chairman
CHRISTIE
BATES
BERRY
BROOKS
CONNALLY
CREIGHTON
HIGHTOWER
RATLIFF
WADE
WORD

House Concurrent Resolution 24 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Herring and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration at this time the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 24, Providing for an Interim Committee for the study of Land Use and Environmental Control.

The resolution was read.

Senator Herring offered the following Committee Amendment to the resolution:

Amend H. C. R. 24 by inserting a new paragraph after the fifth paragraph of such resolution and before the sixth paragraph as follows:

"The Committee shall prepare a budget for the operating expense of said committee which shall be submitted to the Contingent Expense Committees of the House and Senate. The prior approval of such budget by such Contingent Expense Committee shall be obtained before any payments may be made from such Contingent Funds. Prior approval by the Contingent Expense Committees must be obtained before any non-budgeted expenses may be paid."

The Committee Amendment was read and was adopted.

The resolution, as amended, was then adopted.

Record of Votes

Senators Patman and Grover asked to be recorded as voting "Nay" on the passage of the above resolution.

House Concurrent Resolution 127 on Second Reading

The President laid before the Senate the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 127, Creating an Interim Legislative Committee on the preservation of the Governor's Mansion.

The resolution was read.

Senator Hardeman offered the following Committee Amendment to the resolution:

Amend H. C. R. 127 by adding to the first "Resolving Clause" after the word "Speaker" at the end of the second sentence the following:

"Provided, however, that all votes in the Committee shall be taken by a majority of the members of each House on all issues determined by the Committee."

HARDEMAN
GROVER

The Committee Amendment was read and was adopted.

On motion of Senator Hardeman, and by unanimous consent, the resolution, as amended, was then adopted.

Message From the House

Hall of the House of Representatives
Austin, Texas,
May 27, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:

The House has concurred in Senate amendments to House Bill No. 781 by non-record vote.

The House has granted the request of the Senate for the appointment of a Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 133. House Conferees: Moore, Murray, Pipkin, Salter, Thomas.

The House has granted the request of the Senate for the appointment of a Conference Committee on Senate

Bill No. 354. House Conferees: Clayton, Hinson, Birkner, T. Shannon, Wayne.

The House has adopted the Conference Committee Report on House Bill No. 741 by a vote of 136 ayes, 1 noes.

The House refused to concur in Senate amendments to House Bill No. 1164 and has requested the appointment of a Conference Committee to consider the differences between the two Houses. House Conferees: Ogg, Neugent, Sherman, Mutscher, McKissack.

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY HALLMAN,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Memorial Resolutions

S. R. No. 743—By Senator Herring: Memorial resolution for B. Werken-thin.

S. R. No. 745—By Senator Watson: Memorial resolution for John Drew (Boody) Johnson.

Welcome and Congratulatory Resolutions

S. R. No. 746—By Senator Aikin: Extending welcome to teachers and students of Spanish Class of Clarks-ville High School.

S. R. No. 747—By Senator Strong: Extending welcome to Glenn Hart, Randy Hart and Tripp Hart.

S. R. No. 748—By Senators Park-house and Wade: Extending welcome to teachers and members of Cub Pack 191 from Winnetka Elementary School of Dallas.

S. R. No. 750—By Senator Herring: Extending congratulations to W. H. "Buckshot" Price.

Adjournment

Senator Hardeman moved that the Senate stand adjourned until 2:00 o'clock p.m. today.

Senator Strong moved that the Sen-ate take recess until 2:30 o'clock p.m. today.

Question first on the motion to ad-journ, "Yeas" and "Nays" were de-manded.

The motion prevailed by the follow-ing vote:

Yeas—21

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Brooks	Patman
Christie	Ratliff
Cole	Reagan
Hall	Schwartz
Hardeman	Watson
Harrington	Wilson
Herring	

Nays—9

Blanchard	Parkhouse
Connally	Strong
Creighton	Wade
Grover	Word
Hazlewood	

Absent

Moore

Accordingly, the Senate at 11:55 o'clock a.m. adjourned until 2:00 o'clock p.m. today.

SIXTY-EIGHTH DAY

(Saturday, May 27, 1967)

The Senate met at 2:00 o'clock p.m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the follow-ing Senators were present:

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hall	Wade
Hardeman	Watson
Harrington	Wilson
Hazlewood	Word
Herring	

A quorum was announced present.

Reverend W. H. Townsend, Chap-lain, offered the invocation.